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SUBJECT: ISRAELI SETTLEMENTS IN OCCUPIED TERRITORIES

REF: TEL AVIV 3969

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF MEMORANDUM OF MAY 12 FROM
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY TO NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER, SUBJECT
"ISRAELI SETTLEMENT AT MES'HA."

2. BEGIN TEXT. IN RESPONSE TO YOUR MEMORANDUM OF APRIL
30, WHICH STATED THAT THE PRESIDENT INDICATED "WE SHOULD
PROTEST" ISRAEL'S ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW SETTLEMENT AT
MES'HA ON THE WEST BANK, UNDER SECRETARY HABIB INFORMED
AMBASSADOR DINITZ ON MAY 6 OF THE PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL
CONCERN. HE ADDED THAT WE ARE PARTICULARLY CONCERNED
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4. AMBASSADOR DINITZ HAS NOT RESPONDED TO UNDER
SECRETARY'S APPROACH. UNDER SECRETARY HAS HAD NO SUB-

SEQUENT DISCUSSIONS WITH AMBASSADOR DINITZ ON THIS SUBJECT.
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FOLLOWING TELEGRAM FROM SECSTATE WASHDC DATED
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